



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 4329.3183-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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MASAHIRO KIYOTOSHI	)	Group Art Unit: 2822
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Application No.: 10/712,377	)	Examiner: Ida M. Soward
	)	
Filed: November 14, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 9596
	)	
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

This Reply is being filed concurrently with a Request For Continued Examination and an Information Disclosure Statement.

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are included in the attached replacement drawing sheet. The amendments are discussed in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this amendment include one replacement drawing sheet and a Replacement Abstract.